House Resolution No.

Whereas, the Missouri House of Representatives always welcomes the opportunity to salute those Show-Me State residents who have proven to be invaluable members of their local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Joan McGivney of Webster Groves, Missouri, has developed and maintained an exceptional reputation for the quality of her diverse endeavors at the workplace and in the community; and

Whereas, during her early years in Webster Groves, Joan McGivney served on the Board of Directors of the Webster Child Care Center and on the original planning committee which provided a sense of continuity and permanence for the organization by locating the Child Care Center at its now-permanent site in the Lutheran Center at Laclede Groves; and

Whereas, now in its twentieth year, the Adventure Club program in the Webster Groves school district owes its existence in large measure to the work and vision of Joan McGivney who served on its founding committee; and

Whereas, a member of the St. Louis County Planning Commission from 1987 to 1990 and a Webster Groves City Councilman elected in 1990, Joan McGivney is known as a person who supports child care, saving trees and green space, and preserving neighborhoods; is willing to work diligently for street improvements and the establishment of community recreation centers; and volunteers in a wide variety of positions, including church school teacher, Christian Education board member and president, Girl Scout leader, Clark School room mother, PTO and classroom helper, member of the Webster Groves Planning Commission and the School Board, and many others; and

Whereas, Joan McGivney can rest assured that her hard work and effective efforts are greatly appreciated by the community of Webster Groves since she has now capped her ongoing legacy with special status as the Webster Groves/Shrewsbury Area Chamber of Commerce 2001 Webster Groves Citizen of the Year:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Joan McGivney as the 2001 Webster Groves Citizen of the Year and to convey to her this legislative body's heartiest congratulations at this milestone event in her life and our best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Joan McGivney, 2001 Webster Groves Citizen of the Year.

Offered by
Representative Kathlyn Fares
District No. 91
I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No, adopted, 2002.
Jim Kreider, Speaker

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